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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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Riichiro TAKAHASHI et al.)
) Group Art Unit: 1756
Application No.: 10/075,619)
) Examiner: Kathleen DUDA
Filed: February 15, 2002)
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For: METHOD FOR FORMING A)
PATTERN)

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Sir:

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION AFTER FINAL

In reply to the Final Office Action of March 23, 2004, with a period for response
extending through June 23, 2004, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner's reconsideration
in view of remarks that follow:

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.

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